

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
TOLEDO

**FILED**  
**FEB 06 2025**  
CLERK, U.S. DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
TOLEDO

**BRIAN KETH ALFORD**

**CASE NO; 3:21-CV-01123**

**Plaintiff**

**V.**

**JUDGE CARR**

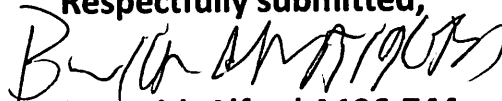
**ZILLES, ET AL.,**

**Defendants.**

**NOTICE TO THE COURT**

Plaintiff, in the above captioned case, has been treated for a life-threatening illness from December 7<sup>th</sup>, 2024 until present following admission to Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center on December 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2024. In addition, an Officer was murdered here at Ross Correctional Institution on December 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024 and the Institution had been on modified lockdown since that date. [see passes attached]. Therefore, Plaintiff request that this Court take judicial notice of the facts herein, and modify any orders issued between December 7<sup>th</sup>, 2024 to date and allow Plaintiff reasonable time to respond to any orders by the Court.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Brian Keith Alford A196-744

Ross Correctional Institution

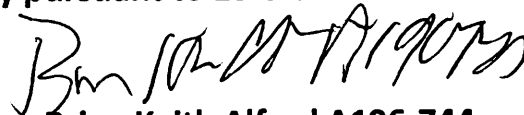
P.O. Box 7010

Chillicothe, Ohio 45601

Plaintiff, *pro se*

**Verification:**

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and accurate under penalty of perjury pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 1746.

  
Brian Keith Alford A196-744

Plaintiff, *pro se*

1-16-25